

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Michael D. Ellis  
Application No. : 09/974,666 Confirmation No. : 7521  
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For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CACHING DATA IN  
MEDIA-ON-DEMAND SYSTEMS  
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Examiner : Annan Q. Shang

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 1, 2008 and the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review mailed May 27, 2009, applicant hereby submits an accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and requests reconsideration and allowance in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments of the Claims begin on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this Reply.